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In Re.: Erol Basturk

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Subject: Method and Apparatus for Bond Management According to Hierarchy

Commissioner for Patents

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Dear Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND  
UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136**

Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of two (2) month(s) to respond to the office letter mailed in the above-referenced case on 08/09/2007, for which a 3-month shortened statutory period was set to expire on 11/09/2007. This requested extension extends the time for response to 01/09/2008.

☒ The petitioner is an established small entity.

☒ A check is enclosed for which \$635.00 is for the extension fee.

Respectfully submitted,  
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